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2. Service at the Sea Officers School in the Schwedenschanze barracks installations in Stralsund is done according to the following schedule:

0600	veille followed by morning exercises
0700	breakfast
0800 to 1300	instruction courses
1400 to 1800	self-instruction
2000 to 2145	self-instruction

The schedule is announced every saturday for the following week, but no subjects and kind of instruction are disclosed. Every Sunday morning a cross-forest run is held for toughening purposes.

3. The officer candidates recently ^{received} intensified instruction on the identification of British and American aircraft and warship types. Large pictures and wooden models were available as demonstration material. Gross and fine determination was practiced by the officer candidates with the aid of these models. A large rotary ring with about 18 different types of airplane models was fitted to the ceiling of a classroom in the school building for aircraft recognition practice. While the ring with the models was turning around, the students had to describe the various types of airplanes. No Russian-types of airplanes were among these aircraft models.
4. In mid-March 1955, an intermediate examination was held for the officer candidates performing their third year of service. The officer candidates were examined only on four main subjects, the marks for the other (secondary) subjects were based on the results of the January papers. Russian was a secondary subject.
5. The officer candidates were granted regular leave which permitted a two week home leave in September and October and a four days' holiday leave twice a year on Christmas or New Year or on Easter or Pentecost. This meant that 50 percent of the companies were granted leave during the holiday periods. The extra leave was granted at other times in addition to this leave, not even for particular family events.

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